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Acknowledgement of replacement drawing sheets, the drawings were received on November 10, 2003. They have been placed in the application file wrapper as paper number 25. The drawings have not been entered. The drawings are not are not fully responsive to the final office action and are not in accordance with 37 CFR 1.121. Applicant is reminded, as stated in the advisory action mailed July 16, 2003, that a proper reply to a final rejection under 37 CFR 1.113 may only be either: (1) a timely filed amendment which places the application in condition for allowance; (2) a timely filed Notice of Appeal (with Appeal fee); or (3) a timely filed Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.114.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Greta L. Robinson whose telephone number is (703) 308-7565. The examiner can normally be reached on Mon.-Fri. 9:30AM-6:00PM.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, John E. Breene can be reached on (703) 305-9790. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is (703)872-9306.

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